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Enough is enough!

No-one asked me as a consumer whether I was hurt or not by Microsoft's innovation. As a programmer and a technologist myself, I have given up some of their competitor's tools and decided to use Microsoft's platforms, operating systems and products as choice.

Our company makes a living from products Microsoft creates and sells, and it's absurd for people who are non-technical to make decisions of this magnitude.

I therefore urge you stop this crazy lawsuit and get to settlement as soon as possible, as your actions and or lack of affects our business, but not only ours, but hundreds of thousands of other small business out there.

Regards  
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